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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	1A	4,761,381	Aug 2, 1988	Blatt et al.		
	1B	5,750,906	May 12, 1998	Parker et al.		
	1C	5,869,004	Feb 9, 1999	Parce et al.		
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OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

	1Q	U.S. Patent Application No. 09/976,991, of Paul LUM, filed Oct 11, 2001, entitled "A MICRO PADDLE WHEEL PUMP FOR PRECISE PUMPING, MIXING, DISPENSING, AND VALVING OF BLOOD AND REAGENTS."
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